

# UNIONVILLE- CHADDS FORD SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT INVOLVEMENT IN  
DECISION-MAKING

ADOPTED: September 15, 2014

REVISED:

<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>2. Authority</p> <p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">232. STUDENT INVOLVEMENT IN DECISION-MAKING</p> <p>The Board believes that students should participate in the governance of school activities at levels appropriate to their ages and competencies because:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Students should have a part in determining activities that affect their lives.</li><li>2. As an institution fundamental to the operation of a democratic society, the schools should strive to exemplify the democratic ideal of citizen participation in decision-making.</li><li>3. As part of their educational development, students should be provided experiences and decision-making roles to prepare them for the future.</li><li>4. Students are a valuable resource whose contributions can aid and benefit the programs of the schools.</li></ol> <p>The Board directs that students be invited to participate in activities appropriate to their maturity and competency.</p> <p>Suggestions for improvement may be offered by any student, provided they are of a constructive nature and contribute toward the realization of the district's educational goals.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall develop procedures to implement this policy.</p> <p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 510</p>
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